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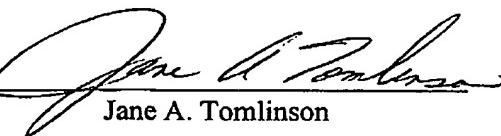
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In connection with the herein-referenced US patent application, Applicants, by and through the undersigned counsel, respectfully submit the within Request for an Extension of Time, Form PTO/SB/22, for the purpose of extending the pendency of the herein-referenced US patent application for the purpose of filing a continuation application under 35 USC 120 claiming priority thereto.

Said continuation application is being filed simultaneously herewith via USPS Express Mail to Addressee, on this the 5th day of October, 2006.

Please feel free to call the undersigned, should you have any questions or concerns in this matter.

Very truly yours,

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Art Unit 1711		Examiner SAIRA B. RAZA
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.		
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